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C O N F I D E N T I A L CAIRO 0987

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, FR, EG

SUBJECT: EGYPTIAN ARMS PURCHASES FROM FRANCE

1. RELIABLE LOCAL PRESS CORRESPONDENT TELLS US MILITARY CENSOR HAS REFUSED TO ALLOW HIM TO FILE STORY, BASED ON WHAT HE CONSIDERS HARD INFORMATION, THAT EGYPTIAN MILITARY PURCHASE DEL WENT TO PARIS IN ADVANCE OF SADAT'S ARRIVAL. HE WAS PERMITTED ONLY TO STATE THAT GOE IS INTERESTED IN ACQUIRING FRENCH JET FIGHTERS AND MISSILES.

2. CITATION OF SPECIFIC NUMBERS AND TYPES OF AIRCRAFT AND MISSILES NOW ALLEGEDLY BEING DISCUSSED IN PARIS WAS ALSO EXCISED BY CENSOR.  
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